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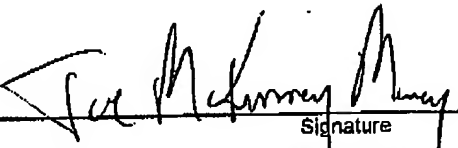
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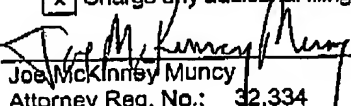
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Invention: FLASH ROM CONTENT UPDATING METHOD AND SYSTEM				
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In reply to the Office Action dated October 12, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification; and

Remarks.